# Kern & Central Valley Supporter for High Speed Rail

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Kern & Central Valley Support Group form to promote
San Joaquin Valley High Speed Rail project local Jobs and high speed rail projects 30%
contracting goal for SBE/DVBE/DBE/MICRO Businesses.

## Supporter Include:

- Local Residents
- Construction Trade Assoication
- Business Chamber of Commerce
- SBE/DVBE/DBE/MBE/WBE/MICRO Business Owners
- Environmental Justice Communities for construction Jobs Coalition
- Friends & Supporter for Central Valley High Speed Rail Project

Our aim is to speak at public meeting and forum to discuss the **benefit of \$6 Billion Dollars** coming to the **San Joaquin Valley** / **Kern County region** and the opportunities for residents & all business owners.

We are open to anyone that support the central valley high speed rail project to come join with us or question call 661-747-1465 asks for Marvin Dean.

Our motto if this project happen let be ready & first to benefit from the project and keep the money here in the valley.

If you would like us to speak at any up coming forum sent your request by Fax # 661-323-9287 or Email: <a href="mailto:marvindeanlle@sbcglobal.net">marvindeanlle@sbcglobal.net</a>

## San Joaquin Valley SBE/DVBE/DBE/MBE/WBE Construction Academy

## **Contractor Academy Summary:**

The San Joaquin Valley Construction Management Group, LLC (SJVCMG), National Black Contractors Association (NBCA), San Joaquin Valley Black Contractors Association (SJCBCA), Kern Minority Contractors Association (KMCA) and others have entered into partnership to develop and operate the San Joaquin Valley Construction Academy. The program goal is to increase the number of companies that are able to successfully bid and complete public work projects; High Speed Rail, Caltrans and other local transportation improvement projects. The academy will assist Small Business (SBE) Disabled Veteran Business (DVBE) Disadvantage Business (DBE) Minority Business (MBE) Woman Business (WBE) to get Ready & Able to participate in the procurement and sub contracting opportunity with High Speed Rail central valley and other public work projects

## **Background:**

Public work projects are complex and intimidating to smaller companies and that new to the public sector market. Most public agencies and prime contractors have problems locating & entering into contract with smaller minority, women and black owned businesses on their public work projects.

The San Joaquin Valley Construction **Academy** in **partnering** with **public agencies** and prime **contractors industry association** can help increase the number of SBE/DVBE/DBE/MBE/WBE participates on their projects. And increase diversity in the construction workforce; provide public work contracting opportunity especially in communities with high unemployment and underemployment though out the central valley

One of the main reasons the academy is being launched now, many of us in the SBE/DVBE/DBE/MBE/WBE community know first-hand the problems preventing these firms in the past from getting contract on project work projects. We believe that with one the largest public work projects in California history, the "High Speed Rail," which plans to start construction in San Joaquin Valley sometime in September 2012; an effort needed to be underway now that help get these SBE/DVBE/DBE/MBE/WBE firms ready for this project and develop partnering relationship with prime contractors planning to bid this work.

This academy will help sub-contractors, prime contractors & HSR in meeting SBE/DVBE/DBE project goals and removing some road block that prevent these firms from doing business together. After you review this document have questions, please give us a call @ 661-747-1465 ask for Marvin Dean we can help you locate qualify SBE/DVBE/DBE Sub Contractors for your High Speed Rail projects bid.

## Central Valley

High Speed Rail

## **\$6 Billion Construction Project**

Sub Contracting Opportunities

Local & Central Valley Sub Contractors
Construction Related Business

Meet & Greet

**Get Ready** 

Workshop

Date: March 31, 2012 (Sat)

**Time**: 1:30 - 4:30 pm

**Location**: Beale Memorial Library 701 Truxtun Ave, Bakersfield, Ca. 93301

Information #661-324-7535

Everyone Welcome

No Cost to Attend

Hosted by;

### San Joaquin Valley

DBE/MBE/WBE/SBE

## **Construction Academy**

Hard Hat Sub-Contractors

- Business Structure
- Business Local License
- Business Contractor License
- Business insurance & Bonding
   Bidding & sub-contracting requirement

#### Spansored by

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#### **Training Center**

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